

TOURISM INDICATORS

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VISITOR ARRIVALS

In July 2003, there were 1,046,808 visitor arrivals in Macao, equivalent to an increase of 3.0% over July 2002. Visitors came mainly from Hong Kong (44.2%), Mainland China (42.9%) and Taiwan (9.5%). Same-day visitors accounted for 47.0% of the total arrivals, at 491,523.

In the first seven months of 2003, there were 6,115,468 visitor arrivals, a decrease of 5.8% over the same period of 2002. Same-day visitors shared 46.6% of the total arrivals, with 2,851,978.

Compared with the first seven months of 2002, the cumulative number of visitor arrivals by sea was 2,724,911 (-17.6%), in which 2,671,414 (-17.4%) arrived at the Outer Harbour. Arrivals by land totalled at 3,073,922 (+15.5%), among whom 2,956,212 (+15.8%) arrived through the Border Gate and 117,710 through the Checkpoint of CoTai. Arrivals by air reached 316,635 (-39.9%), of which 309,878 (-40.4%) arrived at the Macao International Airport.

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Place of residence	July			July 2003			July 2003		Jan. - Jul		
	2002	2003	Δ%	By sea	By land	By air	2003	Δ%	2002	2003	Δ%
							Same-day visitors				
TOTAL	1 016 109	1 046 808	3.02	467 956	515 221	63 631	491 523	17.18	6 492 938	6 115 468	-5.81
East Asia	978 965	1 019 121	4.10	451 339	506 643	61 139	480 801	19.20	6 240 662	5 936 874	-4.87
Mainland China	348 945	449 139	28.71	82 434	359 198	7 507	171 319	414.61	2 219 453	2 724 383	22.75
Hong Kong	473 078	463 015	-2.13	360 250	101 176	1 589	219 163	-5.83	3 020 492	2 641 991	-12.53
Taiwan	142 311	99 667	-29.97	3 954	44 159	51 554	86 849	-32.91	891 487	504 465	-43.41
Japan	10 738	4 525	-57.86	2 867	1 471	187	2 405	-61.48	79 880	45 546	-42.98
Republic of Korea	3 727	2 565	-31.18	1 772	507	286	1 025	-35.37	27 925	19 045	-31.80
Others	166	210	26.51	62	132	16	40	-23.08	1 425	1 444	1.33
South Asia	1 741	1 805	3.68	1 007	689	109	577	-30.15	10 325	8 842	-14.36
Southeast Asia	13 443	10 387	-22.73	4 992	3 879	1 516	3 345	-24.59	89 346	65 696	-26.47
Americas	10 106	6 535	-35.34	4 162	1 853	520	3 053	-42.30	66 179	42 566	-35.68
Europe	8 467	6 053	-28.51	4 496	1 327	230	2 483	-36.09	61 848	42 309	-31.59
Oceania	2 965	2 460	-17.03	1 783	585	92	1 099	-26.29	21 860	16 400	-24.98
Others	422	447	5.92	177	245	25	165	-8.84	2 718	2 781	2.32

Δ Rate of change